

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION;

On page 1, please change lines 1-3 to read as follows:

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The invention relates to a method and to printer apparatus for producing photographic images on strip-shaped photographic material and thereafter cutting the photographic material to individual picture lengths.

On page 6, before line 1, insert the following heading:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION;

and change lines 5 and 6 to read as follows:

This object, as well as other objects which will become apparent from the discussion that follows, are achieved, according to the present invention, by providing printer apparatus comprising:

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(a) a projector device for projecting image information for a plurality of photographic pictures onto strip-shaped photographic material, and for projecting marks onto the photographic material that indicate the positions for cutting the material; and

(b) a controller, coupled to the projector device, for producing control signals to cause the projection of said marks onto the photographic material.

On page 10, delete lines 13-16 in their entirety and substitute the following paragraph and heading:

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For a full understanding of the present invention, reference should now be made to the following detailed description of the preferred embodiments of the invention as illustrated in the accompanying drawings.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS;

and change lines 17-21 to read as follows:

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Figure 1 shows an embodiment of the invention in a system used to generate photographic images.

Figure 2 shows a section of strip-shaped photographic material onto which the marks are projected.

On page 11, change lines 1-8 to read as follows:

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Figure 3 shows a further example of the strip-shaped photographic material onto which the marks are projected that are configured as encoded marks.

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Figure 4 shows a third example of the strip-shaped photographic material onto which test data and a mark to designate the test data are projected.

Figure 5 shows an embodiment of a system to generate photographic images based on the invention.

On page 11, delete lines 9-11, insert the following heading and paragraph:

DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS

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The preferred embodiments of the present invention will now be described with reference to Figs. 1-5 of the drawings. Identical elements in the various figures are designated with the same reference numerals.

On page 32, after the last line, insert the following paragraph:

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There has thus been shown and described a novel method and apparatus for generating images on photographic material which fulfills all the objects and advantages sought therefor. Many changes, modifications, variations and other uses and applications of the subject invention will,